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Sir:

Applicant hereby discloses the documents listed in the accompanying Forms PTO-1449 and PTO-892 with respect to the above-referenced divisional patent application under the provisions of 37 CFR, §§ 1.56, 1.97 and 1.98. Copies of the cited references are not attached but can be found in the file of the parent application, U. S. Serial No. 09/872,814.

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The Examiner is respectfully requested to make the listed documents of record in connection with the prosecution of the subject application.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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